GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FINANCE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:755
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SEIZURE OF FAKE REVENUE AND NON-JUDICIAL STAMP-PAPER
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Will the Minister of FINANCE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether fake postal, revenue and non-judicial stamps/stamp papers worth more than Rs.216 crore were seized in Delhi last month;

(b) if so, whether this is an off-shoot of similar fake stamp racket unearthed in Karnataka few months back;

(c) whether LIC and GIC were main users of such fake stamps/stamp papers;

(d) if so, whether any collusion between the accused and the officials of LIC/GIC has been established; and

(e) if so, the details thereof and action taken against them?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE & COMPANY AFFIARS (GINGEE N. RAMACHANDRAN)

(a), (b), (c), (d) and (e): The information is being collected and will be laid on the table of the House.